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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/522,622

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Responsive to the Official Action dated September 8, 2006, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I, Claims 1-4 and 17 drawn to compounds of the general Formula (III).

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.